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Re: Application No: 10/806,995 Examiner: Alex B. Toy
Applicant(s): Marwan Abboud, et al. Group Art Unit: 3739
Filing Date: 3/23/2004
Entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INFLATING AND DEFLATING BALLOON
CATHETERS
Attorney Docket No. 21819-194U

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 14, 2006.

The following checked items are applicable:

_____ sheets of formal drawings, FIGS. _____.

A Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection Over a Prior Patent is herewith enclosed, as well as the small-entity terminal disclaimer fee of \$65.00.

A Petition for Extension of Time and the small-entity extension fee of \$60.00 for filing a response within the first month is herewith enclosed.

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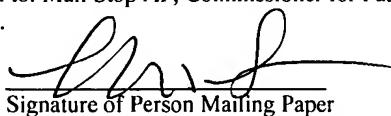


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Serial Number: 10/806,995

Filing Date: March 23, 2004

Applicant(s): Marwan Abboud, et al.

Entitled: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INFLATING AND
DEFLATING BALLOON CATHETERS

Examiner: Alex B. Toy

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 14, 2006, please amend and reconsider the above-identified Patent Application as follows, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116: